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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Shigeaki IMAI, et al.

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Sir:

The following amendment and remarks are submitted with the filing of the RCE

IN THE CLAIMS:

✓ Please cancel claims 30, 31 and 36.

Please amend claim 2, 5, 29, 34 and 35 as follows.

2. (Three Times Amended) The method according to claim 29 wherein the generated plurality of lines comprises a parametric curve group.

5. (Three Times Amended) The method according to claim 29 wherein the generate plurality of lines comprises a spline curve group.